

Abstract

The invention relates to a locking ring for axially fixing a shaft part (3) in a ring part (1). The locking ring (5) has first partial areas (56, 57, 51, 53) which engage in the inner groove (21) after resiliently pressing together the locking ring (5) so that it can be placed in the inner opening (21) of the ring part (1), pushing the safety ring (5) into the area of the inner groove (4) and releasing and resiliently placing the locking ring (5). The locking ring also has second partial areas (52, 54, 55) that project from the inner groove (21) once the safety ring (5) has been placed in the inner groove (21) and which are resiliently pushed outward in a phase (7) of the shaft part (3) which has been pushed into the inner opening (2) so that the safety ring (5) can slide on the periphery of the shaft part (3) until it reaches the area of the peripheral groove (4) and the second partial areas (52, 54, 55) resiliently snap onto said peripheral groove.